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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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October 13, 2005

Sir:

The undersigned hereby petitions for an extension of time to respond to the Official Action of April 13, 2005 for three months to October 13, 2005.

Please charge the extension fee of \$1,020 to Deposit Account No. 25-0120. If this fee is insufficient, the Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge any additional extension fee to Deposit Account No. 25-0120. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

A responsive paper is filed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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